8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Rates once tendered will not be enhanced on any account.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the department or those fixed by the Executive Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of dispute about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Executive Engineer will be final and legally binding.

12. Quotations must be given in words as well as in figures and they must be in specific term of unit shown against each item of work. Any quotation quoted at so much percentage less or more than estimated rate will not be accepted.

13. The quantities as estimated are only approximate and are liable to alterations, omissions, deductions or additions at the discretion of the Executive Engineer. The tender rates will hold good for any quantity, whether higher or lower than those estimated for.

Abstract estimate for constructing a High Level Causeway across the Halla near Mudgere Pumping Station on Mudgere-Belur Road.

No.	Items of work	Unit	Rate	Quantity	Cost
			Rs. a. p.		
1	Earthwork excavating foundation in hard gravel soil mixed with shingle;	C.yd.	..	198	
2	Burnt stone jelly concrete in surki combination mortar 1 : 6 proportion	C.ft.	..	1,014	
3	Burnt size-stone in surki mortar with bond stones complete	C.ft.	..	2,143	
4	Cutwaters in cut stone in surki mortar ..	,,	..	68	
5	Cement pointing to masonry 1 : 3 proportion ..	S.qr.	..	8·78	
6	Reinforced cement concrete slabs complete, cast in situ with tension and compression, reinforcements, cement plastered and finished smooth including centring charges, etc., complete	C.ft.	..	1,290	
7	New rough stone pitching with jelly packing ..	C.yd.	..	52	
8	Collecting, breaking and stacking blasted granite metal, including average lead of 2½ miles ..	C.yd.	..	100	
9	Collecting, stacking gravel with bed	,,	..	50	
10	Picking metal surface of road	S.yd.	..	1,320	
11	Spreading and consolidating metal by stone roller	C.yd.	..	100	
12	Spreading and consolidating gravel by stone roller	,,	..	50	
13	Collecting and spreading sand with bed ..	,,	..	20	
14	Iron chains with circular R. C. pillars of 1 foot dia. 2′ height at 14 ft. intervals on either side of Causeway	R.ft.	..	172	
15	Providing expansion joints at joints of slabs 14 ft. C to C	,,	..	60	
16	Bonding iron hooks	No.	..	28	
17	Water diversion charges	L. S.	..	..	
18	Bailing out water during excavating foundation	,,	..	..	

C. R. IYENGAR,
Executive Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, MARCONAHALLI RESERVOIR DIVISION.

Notification.

Quotations are invited for the purchase of serviceable empty steel casks of 42 Imperial gallons capacity available for sale at the office of the Executive Engineer, Marconahalli Reservoir Division, so as to reach the undersigned on or before the 25th January 1938. The rates quoted should be—

(1) Ex-stores—Marconahalli.
(2) Ex-Divisional stores—Water Supply Division, Bangalore.

2. The casks are the empties of Messrs. Burmah Shell High Speed Diesel Oil and about 30 to 35 of them will be available for sale every month. Intending purchasers may inspect the present number of available empties, *viz.*, about 100 at Marconahalli during office hours on any working day.

3. Quotations should be superscribed "Quotation for the Purchase of Empty Steel Casks" and should be accompanied by an earnest money of Rs. 25 in cash or a challan in support of the remittance of the prescribed amount to any of the State Treasuries, to the credit of P. W. Deposits in favour of this Division.

4. The undersigned reserves to himself the right to reject any quotation without assigning any reason whatsoever therefor.

5. The approved purchaser will be given intimation of the acceptance of his quotation and he will also be informed by the 5th of every month of the number of empty casks available at Marconahalli and in the office of the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Division, Bangalore. He should arrange for clearance of the casks, within a week of receipt of such intimation, after paying their value in full, failing which the casks will be removed from the office premises at his cost and no responsiblity can be attached to the undersigned for their loss.

6. The accepted rate will be current for a period of one year from the date of acceptance of the quotation and no reduction in the rate will be admitted under any circumstances during the currency of the contract.

7. Failure to adhere to the above terms will entail forfeiture of the earnest money and the approved purchaser will have to execute a mutchalika binding himself to the above terms.

8. The earnest money of the unsuccessful purchasers will be refunded soon after the quotations are disposed of.

M. NARASIMHAIYA,
Executive Engineer.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTS

THE MYSORE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, LAL-BAGH, BANGALORE CITY.

NOTICE.

The Horticultural show will be held at Lal-Bagh on the 22nd and 23rd January 1938.

The public will not be admitted into Lal-Bagh from 2 P.M. on the 21st January 1938 to 6 P.M. on the 24th January 1938, except on business connected with the Show.

ADMISSION FEES.

Saturday :—

Adults	Re. 1 each.
Children and Students	As. 8 each.

Sunday :—

Uniform rate	As. 4 each.

Indian and European Refreshments will be sold.
The Mysore Infantry Band will play on Saturday.
Schedule of Prizes, Entry Forms and further particulars may be had from the undersigned.

L. S. DORASAMI,
Honorary Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE *EX-OFFICIO* CONTROLLER OF PATENTS AND DESIGNS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 23rd December 1937.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT.

Notice is hereby given under Section 17 of the Mysore Patents and Designs Act III of 1925, that the Merrill Company, a California Corporation, doing business at 343, Sansome Street, Sanfrancisco, California, United States of America, seek leave to amend the claims of application for Patent No. 113 of 1934-35, dated 27th August 1935. Any person desirous of opposing the amendment should at any time within three months from the date of this Gazette Notification, give notice of his intention to do so (Form 5 of the Mysore Patents and Designs Rules 1926) at the Patent Office (Office of the Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore, Bangalore and *Ex-officio* Controller of Patents and Designs in Mysore, Bangalore).